

SUN CITY LINCOLN HILLS
LINCOLN HILLS LADIES GOLF XVIII CLUB
BYLAWS

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ARTICLE I: NAME

The name of this club shall be “LINCOLN HILLS LADIES GOLF XVIII CLUB” and shall, hereinafter be referred to as LHLGXVIII.

ARTICLE II: PURPOSE

1. The club is organized and will operate in full compliance with the Association’s governing documents, including the Club Policies.

2. The Stated purpose of the Club:

FIRST: To stimulate the interest in women’s golf at Lincoln Hills Golf Club and work cooperatively with the course staff.

SECOND: To provide members with an opportunity to play golf in a variety of formats, to teach more about the game, and to promote the true spirit of golf.

THIRD: To encourage conformance to the USGA RULES OF GOLF and to maintain a uniform system of handicapping as set forth in the World Handicap System.

LHLGXVIII is a member of the Northern California Golf Association (NCGA) / Women’s Golf Association of Northern California (WGANC) electively and abides by the Bylaws and Standing Rules.

FOURTH: To govern and conduct group competitions according to these Bylaws.

ARTICLE III: MEMBERSHIP AND DUES

Section 1:

Membership consists of golfers who are residents in good standing with the Sun City Lincoln Hills Community Association (SCLHCA), who pay annual dues, who understand the rules of golf and course etiquette, and who play eighteen holes of golf at a 4.5-hour pace.

Section 2:

Prospective members must have an established USGA Handicap and pay non-refundable dues.

ARTICLE IV: MEETINGS

Members will be provided with advance notice for the date, time, and location of all LHLGXVIII General Membership Meetings.

Three general meetings are scheduled each year. Additional meetings may be called, if needed. If a vote by the membership is necessary, a majority vote when at least 25% of the membership is present or has e-voted constitutes a valid action.

ARTICLE V: NOMINATION PROCEDURES & ELECTION OF OFFICERS

- 1) The nominating committee shall consist of three members of which the current Past Captain will act as chair. The Chair shall solicit the other two members of the nominating committee from the general membership. If the current Past Captain is unable to chair the nominating committee the Executive Board shall appoint another Past Captain to chair.
- 2) Nominations for officers other than the Captain will be accepted between July 1 and July 31.
- 3) The nominating committee posts the slate of officers by August 15.
- 4) Voting is by ballot either at a General Membership Meeting or by e-vote during the month of September. The results of the vote (either voting in person or by e-vote) will be announced at either the General Membership

Meeting (if held) or by email to the club membership. A majority votes when at least 25% of the membership is present or has e-voted, constitutes a valid action.

ARTICLE VI: RECORDS AND REPORTS

1. The LHLGXVIII Club is responsible for internal financial transactions and records, including any tax responsibilities, and has the responsibility to report appropriate financial business to our members.
2. All Club governing documents, meeting minutes, and financial records are available for review by any LHLGXVIII Club member in good standing.
3. The LHLGXVIII Club will maintain a current list of at least two Club contacts with phone numbers and email addresses and submit it to the SCLHCA Room Booking and Club Coordinator.
4. The LHLGXVIII Membership information will not be used for commercial, political, or personal purposes not related to the business of the club.

ARTICLE VII: CLUB DISSOLUTION

If the Golf Course Management closes the Lincoln Hills Golf Courses and no other golf management company takes over or obtains the rights to said golf courses, LHLGXVIII shall consider dissolution or may plan to play elsewhere.

If the LHLGXVIII Club chooses to dissolve, all outstanding bills must be paid first. Should there be any leftover monies they may be donated to a non-profit organization, such as the Placer Breast Cancer Foundation.

ARTICLE VIII: AMENDMENTS

These Bylaws may be amended by a majority vote, when at least 25% of the membership is present or has e-voted, provided the proposed amendment has been posted for 30 days on the LHLGXVIII website.

Revision of the Bylaws must be voted on and approved by the general membership. The Standing Rules may be changed by the Executive Board.

Revised 7/14/07, 7/24/08, 1/23/09, 10/22/09, 10/4/11, 11/12/13, 10/11/18, 8/01/19, 5/11/20, 5/18/21, 5/7/2024.

ARTICLE IX: PARLIAMENTARY

“Robert’s Rules of Order, revised” shall be the authority for all parliamentary procedures not covered by these Bylaws.